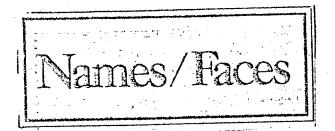
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Keep Me, He Begs

Struggling to keep himself in Britain, Phllip Agee, former CIA operative and tattle tale, has presented Home Secretary Merlyn Rees with a 10,000-name petition condemning a deportation order. The British government has accused him of harming the country's security by maintaining contacts with foreign intelligence officers. However Agee has denied all this and said he would appear before a three-member panel to advise the Home Office on the deportation. Agee, 41, wrote. "CIA Diary;" which told of his work for the agency and named some of its agents. Meanwhile, CIA Director George Bush, who is leaving the agency, told a California audience that he has "nothing but contempt" for people who tell of such goings-on.